

## THANKSGIVING DINNER

Every year, on a Sunday close to Thanksgiving, the J. S. Windham family meet at the old home place and have a reunion and a dinner. Last Sunday, Dec. 3, the hostesses, Misses Maye and Emma Windham, served an old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner to many relatives and friends.

The dining room was decorated with many lovely autumn colors and fruits. In the center of the table there was a pumpkin and fruits beautifully arranged. There was also a table set with a memorable turkey with all the dressings, chickens, ham, pies, cakes, etc. The dinner was served in a safe style and everybody enjoyed the eating as well as the social hour.

The guests on this occasion were, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. John William Stephens and children.

Waxed paper is ideal for wrapping dampened clothes which might otherwise fade on other clothes in the basket.



## In These Last Short Days of 1944

When beaming faces tell that Christmas is very, very near, we are reminded again of the supreme value of friendship. He who has no friends, though he may have amassed a fortune, cannot be happy.

We have many friends in this area—friends from many years back as well as friends who have become friends during this past year. These friendships are a great source of pride and happiness to us.

To all these friends we wish a very Merry Christmas Season.

VAUGHAN & COMPANY

## To Our Customers And Friends:--

At the close of another year we realize how important four friendship and good will have been to our success. We appreciate the opportunity the holiday season brings to say thank you and to wish you

A MERRY CHRISTMAS  
AND  
A HAPPY NEW YEAR

C. O. Miller & Sons  
ELBA, ALABAMA



WHAT stancher tree than the oak, and what stancher friends than ours? Each year at Christmastime we realize more keenly than ever that our success in this community is deeply rooted in the firm soil of friendship. We cannot tell you in so many words how much these friendly associations mean to us, and how we cherish them. But we know you will understand.

In this spirit of appreciation we send our sincere good Christmas wishes to you and to all those dear to you.

DORSEY BROTHERS

## THE ELBA THEATRE

## WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY  
"SOULS AT SEA"  
—starring—  
Gary Cooper and  
George Raft  
Admission 10c & 30c

FRIDAY—Double Feature  
"LADY, LET'S DANCE"  
—starring—  
Belita, James Ellison  
Western, Serial, Comedy  
Admission 10c & 30c

SATURDAY ALL DAY  
"MAN FROM RIO  
GRANDE"  
—starring—  
Don (Red) Barry  
Admission 10c & 25c

SAT. 4 P. M.—LATE SHOW  
"MOONLIGHT IN  
VERMONT"—  
—starring—  
Gloria Jean, The Jivin'  
Jacks and Jills  
Admission 10c & 30c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY  
"THE UNINVITED"—  
—starring—  
Ray Milland, and  
Ruth Hussey  
Admission 10c & 30c

TUESDAY Only—Bargain Day  
"JOHNNY DOESN'T  
LIVE HERE ANYMORE"  
—starring—  
Simon, Simon and  
James Ellison  
Admission 10c & 20c

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY  
"THE LOUISIANNE  
HAYRIDE"—  
—starring—  
Judy Canova  
Admission 10c & 30c

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

E. L. Jordan, Alias, Complainant, vs. N. W. Jordan, Respondent.

In Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, in Equity, Elba, Alabama.

You will take notice that R. L. Jordan has filed Bill of Complaint against you in this Court, you are therefore notified to appear, plead, answer or demur to said Bill within the time allowed by law or its allegations will be taken as confessed.

On the 20th day of December, 1944.

Gladys Clark, Register.

RESOLUTIONS OF  
RESPONSIBLE MEMBER

On August 6th, God, in his infinite wisdom, saw fit to take from us our friend and co-worker, Mrs. Frank Price. Her work of ministering to the wants of the afflicted, in shedding light into darkened souls, and in comforting them, has been a reward has received the plaudit, "Well done," from the Supreme Master.

And whereas, having been a true and faithful member of our club, thereon come and among us, we have taken over the Polack family's Land in Chapel Hill, a Demonstration Club in testimony of its great loss, tender to the family of our deceased member, our sincere condolence in their deep affliction and a copy be sent to them, to be sent to the Elba Clipper for publication, and a copy be spread on our bulletin board.

Scientists explained the processes of the most magical little creature, a tiny insect, whose delicate actions of weevils, worth \$10 billion, million make an ounce—in the drying of plywood to the welding of thermosetting materials.

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LAND REFORM:

Split Polish Estates

Carrying out its policy of agricultural reform, the Moscow sponsored Polish committee of national liberation has taken over 5,000 acres of land owned by Count Alfred Potocki among 1,000 families.

On the 11th, the same, the liberation committee announced that it had taken over the Potocki family's Land in Chapel Hill, a Demonstration Club in testimony of its great loss, tender to the family of our deceased member, our sincere condolence in their deep affliction and a copy be sent to them, to be sent to the Elba Clipper for publication, and a copy be spread on our bulletin board.

With 110 congressional members from 30 states, the CIO's political action committee, CIO declared that the victory demonstrated the effectiveness of labor's first big wartime effort in a campaign.

What a year! PA 100,000,000

he continued was considered at the CIO convention in Chicago, Ill., where union leaders called for support of their fight for higher wages, better working conditions, material, labor and government planning for provision of 60,000,000 postwar jobs.

Decidedly the election of the candidates backed by it assured

the presence of an "improved con-

gress" for the next session, the CIO

declared that its PAC "proved to be the

decisive factor in the way the

organized, door-to-door, way that

brings success in a campaign."

The 100 men and women backed by the CIO comprise 90 repre-

sentatives and 14 senators, coming

from 28 states in every section of

the country.

Quotes . . .

"If full employment is not achieved under our free enterprise system (after the war) then the people will demand something more. We must believe that, if we fail we shall have to some form of planned and regimented economy. We must believe that, if we fail, we shall become dependent upon government and government expense to support the economy, expand employment and thus systematically finance the war." Chairman Alfred P. Sloan of General Motors.

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ELBA, ALABAMA

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY

East Side Square

Elba, Alabama

## Registration Notice!

In accordance with provisions of the Registration Laws of Alabama, the Board of Registrars of Coffee County does hereby give notice that the following appointments are set for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

COURTHOUSE IN ENTERPRISE  
January 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, 1945

COURTHOUSE IN ELBA  
January 13, 15, 16, 17 and 18, 1945

MRS. FRANCES S. CLARK  
F. M. FARRIS  
C. S. GOODSON  
Registrars Coffee County



Charles Lamb said:  
"Of all sounds, of all bells, most solemn and touching is the peal that rings out the old year..."  
Had Charles Lamb lived in the year of grace, 1944, he might hear only joyousness in these pealing bells that ring in a New Year filled with hope and promise of better things to come—for surely they are on the way!

Happy New Year to all—and 365 days of good luck!

FEDERATED STORES



WELCOME 1945! We greet 1945 with fervor. For a new year, like a new day, unfolds infinite possibilities.

May your New Year bring the realization of all your aspirations and hopes, and your holiday be a day of



BONNEAU-JETER



ALL aboard for 1945. Let's go! Let's go forward on the road to cherished ideals and coveted goals—farther than ever before. Forward along the road to happiness!

We cannot see what's beyond the bend of the road, or over the crest of the hill, but we ardently hope that it's something mighty good—FOR YOU!

VAUGHAN HDW. & FURNITURE CO.

## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Civil Strife Rages in Greece; Set Vise for Japs on Leyte; Quake Shakes Tokyo District

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union.)

SENATE:  
Hit Appointments

Plans to hurry through the appointment of a new Undersecretary of State and William L. Clayton, Nelson Rockefeller and Archibald MacLeish as assistant secretaries in the Senate, where a rebellious contingent forced hearings to be held before the principals' fitness for the offices.

Longtime aide to Kentucky's "Happy" Chandler, who is referring to the appointments of William L. Clayton and Rockefeler, has declared that the poor folks would be given opportunities as a result of the election. Instead of the poor people the obtainable, he said, is that with the poor boys are getting them.

In pressing for confirmation of the appointments, Texas' Tom Connally declared that the business interests would use their position to influence policy, declaring:

Every senator who knows the President knows that he is going to demand the foreign policy of this government.

## Steffen's

First official act of Secretary of State Edward Stettinius was to blast at Britain's and Russia's maneuvering in liberated European countries to establish governments favorable to their interests.

Declaring:

We expect the world to work on the problems of government, and not on the basis of influence from outside.

Stettinius aimed his blast at Britain's objections to the League of Nations Court of Justice as foreign minister of a new fishy administration. Britain's attitude, it was said, was the result of Stettinius'

advice to the British to keep their arms on the ground that rings out the old year...

Since then Leftist liberation guerrilla forces refused to surrender their arms on the ground that rings out the old year...

Striking again with characteristic suddenness, Gen. Douglas MacArthur moved the 77th division ashore to seize the vital Leyte bridgehead, cutting the Japanese defenders on the northwestern shore of Leyte in

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REV. E. D. SIMPSON



## CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE ANNOUNCEMENT

Services starting Thursday, Dec. 28, 1944, at 7:30 Rev. E. D. Simpson, of Birmingham, will be here in charge. Rev. W. R. Platt, a noted evangelist, will then continue the services until January 6th, 1945. Please miss these Spirit-filled messages. All are invited. There will be special numbers in song each evening. The "Precious Jewel" song books are filled with old time Gospel songs. Come and enjoy the services with us.

By C. F. Schroeder.

Miss Ibelle Whitman and John Revel Crook, students at Howard College, Birmingham, are guests of relatives in Elba for the holidays.

Miss Jean Siebert, of Greenwood, Fla., was the guest of friends in Elba during the holidays.

Thomas E. Farmer, U. S. Merchant Marine, is spending this week with his wife and other relatives. He is awaiting shipping orders.

## NOTICE TO ALL BIRD HUNTERS!

Please don't get on the place I have rented from J. A. Carnley, for if you do, you will have to get off when I hear you shoot your gun. Also stay off the land of mine adjoining the above land. We farmers can't buy a single gun shell.

H. W. WORLEY,  
Rt. 1, Glenwood, Ala.

## Classified Advertising

If you want to buy, sell, swap, rent or locate lost property, try an ad in this column.

FOR SALE: 1937 Standard A-15, 2-door sedan, 4 new tires, motor recently overhauled, new battery, fog lights; good, clean body. Q. E. Howell, Rt. 1, Elba. (28-7).

FOR RENT: 2- or 3-horse farm, old or new wagons, buggies; all under one roof; good houses and good pasture; 5 miles from Elba on Victoria road. See or write F. T. White, Rt. 1, Elba.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. L. C. Farris of Montgomery, visited Elba relatives last Friday and Saturday.

Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Farris

of Phenix City, Fla., spent a 17-day furlough visiting relatives and friends in Elba and Opp.

Miss Laverna Johnson, former Coffee health nurse, of Hartselle, was the guest of friends in Elba during the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton O'Neal, of Andalusia, were guests of Elba relatives during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Stokes Haire spent Christmas with relatives in Eufaula.

Miss Maggie Dean Clark, who recently graduated at the University of Alabama, returned to Elba last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Clark, Miss Joe Ann Clark, student at Huntingdon College, Montgomery, is also spending the holidays at home.

Elba Bus Station

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Ann Corio and Bill Henry  
—In—  
"SARONG GIRL"  
Western and Serial  
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## SATURDAY ALL DAY

William (Hopalong Cassidy), Boyd, Andy Clyde, Douglas Dumbrill  
—In—  
"FALSE COLORS"  
also Chap. 4 "Valley of Vanishing Men"  
—And—

"THE RETURN OF THE APE MAN"  
—starring—  
Bela Lugosi and John Carridine  
Admission 10c & 25c

## SUNDAY AND MONDAY

New Year Special!  
"THE MIRACLE OF MORGAN'S CREEK"

—Starring—  
Betty Hutton, and  
Eddy Bracken  
Admission 10c & 30c

## CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Fidellis S. C. of Bay Church was entertained in the Christmas party in the home of Mrs. F. F. Clark on Tuesday night, December 19, Miss Little Morris serving as joint hostess. Mrs. J. A. Carnley opened the meeting with a Bible reading. Prayer by Mrs. G. L. Carnley.

Games were directed by Mrs. R. Prior and were much enjoyed. Mrs. J. A. Carnley was given a lovely gift for being most alert.

A beautiful Christmas tree was presided over by the hostess of the class, Mrs. F. F. Clark. A delicious salad course was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Maggie Dean Clark.

Harold L. Jones, ACOM 3-c of Quonset Point, R. 1, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones, and other relatives.

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1945  
HAPPY NEW YEAR

Hope for Tomorrow

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THE ELBA CLIPPER, ELBA, ALABAMA

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## WORK ORDER:

## New Draft Rule

Draft is now needed for

critical war industries, the nation's

draft boards checked through their

files to offer those in the 26 to 37

age group most recently engaged in

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of "working or fighting."

Reversing a previous Selective

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Registrants who left defense posi-

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10 to 20 per cent increase in induc-

tions could be expected in the next

few months.

Output Loss

Allied production of critical

war material rose 6 per cent. Over

the previous month, a greater increase for the remainder of the year is necessary to assure

victory, according to the services.

In reviewing October production,

the WFB said the following pro-

gram was adopted:

aircraft, 3 per cent; ships, 1 per cent;

guns and fire control, 4 per cent;

ammunition, 2 per cent; combat and

motor vehicles, 5 per cent; comuni-

cation, 6 per cent; other

equipment and supplies, 1 per cent.

This was particularly critical, it was reported, as the services had a slow down in their production programs, what with so many

vehicles in operation on the western

front alone, and the Nazi destruc-

tion of shelter in the bitter scorched

earth fighting much

testing.

This is the sincere New Year wish of

## Auction Sale!

Tuesday, Jan. 2, at 2 o'clock

At my farm, 3 miles North of Victoria, on the above date, the following will be offered for sale at auction.

2 Miles; 25 head of Cattle; 15 head of Hogs; 150 bushels of Corn; Hay; 200 gallons of Syrup; 7 or 8 rolls of Wire; 1 Wagon, and all Farming Tools.

## ED KENDRICK



There are many paths in life but the path that leads to home is the one we all love best. May 1945 bring to your home a joyous strengthening of home ties and old associations, and a happy gain in the number of those you count as friends. May it bring you more health, more prosperity, more joy of living.

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## DORSEY BROTHERS

HAPPY NEW YEAR  
1945

When all is said and done the eternal quest of human beings is for happiness. Our wish for you in 1945 is for more happiness—more than you have ever known before, whether that happiness be in gainful occupation or the attainment of some long desired goal.

Thank you for having remembered us so generously during the past year.

## VAUGHAN &amp; COMPANY



We are naturally proud of our standing in this community, and can only thank the people of the community for the prestige we enjoy.

We wish you not only a Happy New Year but a full measure of happiness the whole year through.

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JITNEY JUNGLE (J. B. Rowe, Owner)

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